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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Taku Ohi

Appln. No.: 10/829,627

Filed: April 21, 2004

For: CASE WITH REMOVABLE ACCESSORY
HOLDER

Attorney Docket No: 10710/262 (PTG 1165 PAP)

Examiner: Gehman, Byron

Art Unit: 3728

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached is/are:

Transmittal cover letter in duplicate (1 p.); Response and Amendment (11 pp.);
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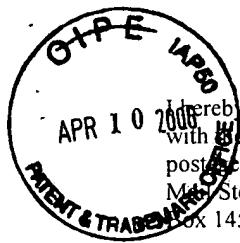
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Respectfully submitted,

Stephanie J. Felicetto (Reg. No. 50,814)

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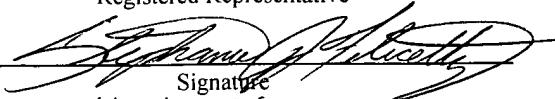


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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows and reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 2 of this paper

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.